Social and Personal.

lights, palms and the many-colored nosegays of the debutantes enhanced

the beauty of the hall.
Colonel Stern opened the german leading with Miss Maria Milners, who broidered in wild roses and pearls, and

Collect Hart sensor the crown of the crown o

Seymour Sycle, 11 West Broad



Christmas **G**ifts

Sterling Silver and Gold Wares

Virginia Atkinson, who have been spending the week-end with friends in Hampton, have returned to the

Mrs. Charles Fleming, who has been at Caymont for the several months past, has arrived in the city, and will be at 114 East Franklin with the Misses Jones.

James L. Frazer, of Orange, who has been spending several days at the Jef-ferson Hotel, has returned to his home.

Mrs. M. D. Eastwood has returned to the city, after a visit to Mrs. W. G. Vaughan, in Portsmouth.

J. W. Montgomery, of Deerfield, has

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Williams Memorial Circle.

The Williams Memorial Circle will meet this afternoon at 1812 Monument Avenue, at half-pust 4 O'clock, Members are urged to bo present.

Mrs. Wingfield's Tea.

Mrs. C, D, Wingfield has issued in-

Rearrangement of Colored Almshouse Enlarges Hospital Dopartment.

At a meeting of the Committee on Relief of the Poor, held yesterday afterneon, a contract was awarded to Harwood Brothers for the installation of a gaselene tank in the garage at the Clty Home for the use of the new automobile ambulance. Contract was awarded to Grimmell's Sons to install the plumbing in the newly-furnished apartments at the colored City Home for the second assistant superintendent. The change in the partitions of the building, it was stated, would allow thirty-two additional beds in the hospital department of new colored home.

Superintendent Cabell was authorized secure estimates for the required accessories and extra parts for the operation of the automobile ambulance.

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| Jewelry Cases | | | \$17.50 |
| Desk Pads | 75c | to | \$ 5.00 |
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| Waste Baskets | | to | \$ 3.50 |
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| Christmas Cards | 5c | to | \$ 1.00 |
| Framed Mission Pictures | 100 | to | \$ 3.50 |
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first, but as soon as the odor of the sanatorium which he had just left fully permeated the air people began to take notice, and two officers of the law pricked up their ears. They took him gently by the shoulders and led him to the nearest exit.

"Lesh go an' have another," he invited, but they declined with a great show of thanks, and gave him a slight prod in the back. About Christmas time it's cold—as a rule, stormy, too. Later on the snow melts, then slush and sloppy wea-

Do you think a good stout pair of Storm Boots would be appreciated as a Christmas gift.

prod in the back.

A few minutes passed, and the buzz of conversation was resumed. The bricklayer visited another sanatorium where medicine is dosed out at 5 and 10 cents per, and returned. He was careful to enter by another door, "Bring the prisoner in!" he bawled, "an' lesh go on with thish case. I'm a tax-payer, an' I don't pay my money for nothin'. Bring them papers in." The officers nabbed him again. Soon the gong of the Biack Maria sounded ominously, and the interloper was hustled off to the Second Police Station, where he spent a restful night. We'd like to see the woman who wouldn't appreciate them.



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